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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed July 28, 2005. An Amendment and Declaration Under Rule 37 C.F.R. §1.131 responsive to the outstanding Office Action are being filed simultaneously herewith.

The Two-Month Extension fee of \$450.00 is included in the total fee for filing the Declaration for the above-identified application, a check for which accompanies this submission.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

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